

December 4, 2002

Via Electronic Filing

Ms. Marlene Dortch
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W., TW-A325
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: **EX PARTE**

ET Docket No. 95-18; IB Docket 01-185; ET Docket 00-258

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On December 4, 2002, on behalf of ICO Global Communications, Larry Williams, Suzanne Hutchings and ICO Counsel Cheryl Tritt met with Deputy OET Chief Bruce Franca and Geri Matise, Deputy Chief of OET's Policy and Rules Division. During the course of the meeting, ICO emphasized to OET the importance of globally harmonized spectrum to successful deployment of global MSS systems.

In accordance with section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's rules, I am submitting an electronic copy of this letter. If you have any questions concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Suzanne Hutchings

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ICO Global Communications (Holdings) Ltd.

cc: Bruce Franca
Geri Matise